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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
: Examiner: A. Vo
KEISUKE MATSUO et al.)
: Group Art Unit: 2861
Application No.: 10/667,314)
: Filed: September 23, 2003)
: For: TANK HOLDER, LIQUID)
: TANK AND TANK)
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2005, the term for responding to which having been extended to Monday, October 3, 2005 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

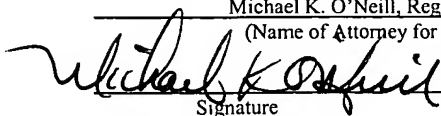
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